Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1.   (Currently Amended) A business information system comprising:

an organization definition information storing unit for storing organization definition information for defining an organization, each item of the organization definition information being stored as a triple-set of division information, item information, and content;

a contents storing unit for storing contents consisting of that include either a procedure or information provided for users or both of them;

a customizing information storing unit for storing in set, as customizing information, a customizing condition set as information customizing [[an]] a utilization environment by use of arbitrary organization definition information stored in said organization definition information storing unit, a procedure corresponding to the customizing condition, and information for indicating contents to be provided as utilization environment in a case where the customizing condition is established;

an organization definition information registering means for storing input organization definition information in said organization definition information storing unit;

a customizing information registering means for storing in set, as customizing information, input customizing condition and information indicating contents to be provided in a case where the customizing condition is established, in said customizing information storing unit; and

a personal environment constructing means for acquiring the customizing information from said customizing information storing unit, for judging whether or not the customizing condition is established with regard to each user by utilizing the organization definition information stored in said organization definition information storing unit, and for acquiring the contents stored in set together with the customizing condition from said contents storing unit in a case where the customizing condition is established, thereby adding the acquired contents to a personal environment of the user.

2.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 1, wherein said organization definition information comprises at least one of information representing organization hierarchy, information representing partial organization, information representing distribution of personnel, and information relative to a job of each of individuals.

3.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 2, wherein said information relative to the job of each of the individuals comprises information representing at least one of an employee identification number, a name, an occupational position, a covering job, a function, a duty, a knowledge, an experience, and a location.

4.   (Currently Amended) The business information system according to claim 1, wherein said organization definition information storing unit stores authentication information indicating that each of individuals is a true user of the business information system, and wherein at least one of said organization definition information registering means, said customizing information registering means and said personal environment constructing means executes a processing only when a user is a true user of the business information system, on a basis of the input authentication information of the user, and

wherein, when the user is determined to be a true user of the business information system, unevaluated customizing information is acquired from the customizing information storing unit by the personal environment constructing means, and an inspection is executed by the personal environment constructing means as to whether or not the customizing condition is established, and if the customizing condition is established, the unevaluated customizing information is added to a personal environment of the user by the personal environment constructing means.

5.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 2, wherein said organization definition information storing unit stores authentication information indicating that each of individuals is a true user of the business information system, and wherein at least one of said organization definition information registering means, said customizing information registering means and said personal environment constructing means executes a processing only when a user is a true user of the business information system, on a basis of the input authentication information of the user.

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6.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 3, wherein said organization definition information storing unit stores authentication information indicating that each of individuals is a true user of the business information system, and wherein at least one of said organization definition information registering means, said customizing information registering means and said personal environment constructing means executes a processing only when a user is a true user of the business information system, on a basis of the input authentication information of the user.

7.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 1, wherein said customizing condition is capable of being defined by a complex condition, which is a combination of a plurality of conditions.

8.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 2, wherein said customizing condition is capable of being defined by a complex condition, which is a combination of a plurality of conditions.

9.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 3, wherein said customizing condition is capable of being defined by a complex condition, which is a combination of a plurality of conditions.

10.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 4, wherein said customizing condition is capable of being defined by a complex condition, which is a combination of a plurality of conditions.

11.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 5, wherein said customizing condition is capable of being defined by a complex condition, which is a combination of a plurality of conditions.

12.   (Original)   The business information system according to claim 6, wherein said customizing condition is capable of being defined by a complex condition, which is a combination of a plurality of conditions.

13.   (Currently Amended) A method of managing business information by use of an organization definition information storing unit for storing an organization definition for defining an organization,

a contents storing unit for storing contents ~~consisting of~~ that include either a procedure or information provided to users or both of them, and

a customizing information storing unit for storing in set, as customizing information, a customizing condition set as information customizing [[an]] a utilization environment by using arbitrary organization definition information stored in said organization definition information storing unit, and information for indicating contents to be provided as utilization environment in a case where the customizing condition is established, the method comprising:

an organization definition information registering step for storing input organization definition information in said organization definition information storing unit, each item of the organization definition information being stored as a triple-set of division information, item information, and content;

a customizing information registering step for storing in set, as the customizing information, input customizing condition, a procedure corresponding to the customizing condition, and information indicating contents to be provided in a case where the customizing condition is established, in said customizing information storing unit; and

a personal environment constructing step for acquiring the customizing information from said customizing information storing unit, for judging whether or not the customizing condition is established with regard to each user by a utilization of the organization definition information stored in said organization definition information storing unit, and for acquiring the contents stored in set together with the customizing condition from said contents storing unit in a case where the customizing condition is established, thereby adding the acquired contents to a personal environment of the user.

14.   (New) The method according to claim 13, further comprising:

storing, in said organization definition information storing unit, authentication information indicating that each of individuals is a true user of the business information system;

executing, by at least one of said organization definition information registering step, said customizing information registering step and said personal environment constructing step, a processing only when a user is a true user of the business information system, on a basis of the input authentication information of the user;

wherein, when the user is determined to be a true user of the business information system, the method comprises the steps of:

acquiring unevaluated customizing information from the customizing information storing unit;

performing an inspection as to whether or not the customizing condition is established; and

if the customizing condition is established, adding the unevaluated customizing information to a personal environment of the user.

15.   (New) The business information system according to claim 1, wherein the division information includes a first type of data corresponding to information pertinent to an entire company, and a second type of data corresponding to information pertinent to each respective individual of the entire company.

16.   (New) The method according to claim 13, wherein the division information includes a first type of data corresponding to information pertinent to an entire company, and a second type of data corresponding to information pertinent to each respective individual of the entire company.